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—IN—

Ribbons, Ostrich Plumes,

Silk Velvets, French

Flowers, Dress

Trimmings,

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, Cor-

sets, Nubias, Infants Caps,

Germanian Yarns,

&c., &c., &c.

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New Year's Presents to be Made.

Persons purchasing goods from now until New

Year's, to the amount of \$1.00, will be entitled

to a ticket in the distribution of the following

articles:

1 pair Ladies' French Kid Button Boots.

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GRAND ENGLISH OPERA.—Undoubtedly

the event of the season will be the

production by Manager James Fitzsimons

of the "Kellogg Grand Opera," C.

D. Hess and Maurice Grant, directors.

The Chicago Times has the following to

say in regard to Mrs. Jenny Van Zandt,

being her first appearance in that city.

The most interesting event of last evening

was the first appearance before a

Chicago audience of Mrs. Jenny Van

Zandt. From the impression which she

gave of her power as a dramatic artist

and a vocalist in the role of Gilda, it is

quite safe to predict that her next performance

will be more eagerly sought after

and better appreciated. She has a very

pleasing stage presence, and possesses a

high soprano voice of pure quality, great

compass, and fine capability of expres-

sion. There was occasional evidence of

her being somewhat over-anxious and nervous,

but as the action progressed she

gained confidence and compelled the most

unmistakable manifestations of approval

from a rather unsympathetic audience.

Before she reached the end of the first act

her success was assured. In her acting

she is more sympathetic and earnest than

Miss Kellogg. In the scene between Gilda

and the Duke, the solo with which it

closes she sang with the greatest delicacy

of execution, and evoked enthusiastic

plaudits.

By reference to the advertisement, the

date of seats will commence Wednesday

morning at 10 o'clock at Wm. H. Shelby's

Music Store for the two nights, and on

Thursday morning the sale for the single

nights will commence at the same place

and no further subscription will be re-

ceived.

WINDOW BROKEN.—Between three and

four o'clock yesterday afternoon a man

deliberately walked up to the German

Bank, on Market street, and commenced

beating the large glass front with his

flats. He succeeded in demolishing all

but about two feet of the lower pane,

when he was arrested by Constable Char-

nick and taken to the lock-up. The

glass broken is about eight feet square,

and is three-eighths of an inch thick. The

part broken cost \$200, but the glass front

was insured several days ago. The hero

of the occasion is a German, who has

been making his home at the police

court for some time past. He is supposed

to be crazy, as he has been noticed hold-

ing converse with cloudland. Both his

hands were badly cut by the glass.

GLENN'S RUN AGAIN.—On Saturday

last William Green was examined

and discharged upon a charge of

malicious shooting at James' Lyle at

Glenn's Run. A warrant was then

issued for the arrest of Green for commit-

ting a breach of the peace, and he was

held in \$200 to be of good behavior for

one year. Lyle was also held in \$100 by

Justice Caldwell to keep the peace toward

Green for one year. Yesterday morning

Green swore out a warrant before Justice

Caldwell for the arrest of Lyle for willful

trespass, and the curtain will rise on the

fourth act of this farce at Justice Cald-

well's office at 11 A. M. to-day.

PERSONAL.—Major James Sweeney

came up on the Andes last evening from

the "Permanent Seat."

Attorney General Matthews was in the

city yesterday, and will leave for his home

at Lewisburg, Greenbrier county, this

morning. He has been at Steubenville

in the interest of the State in the case of

two men who fought a prize fight in

Brooke county. Governor Jacob issued a

requisition to bring the parties to this side

of the river, and they will be tried at

Christine Nilsson to Weber.

Mr. A. WEBER.—Dear Sir: Please ac-

cept my best thanks for the magnificent

Grand Piano that you sent me during my

stay in New York. It is hardly necessary

to say that it satisfied me in all respects,

and I shall take every opportunity to re-

commend and praise your instruments to

all my friends. Believe me, dear sir,

Yours truly,

CHRISTINE NILSSON ROUAULT.

M. St. Etienne, Dec. 30, 1873.

It will be seen that the artists are all

flocking over to the Weber Piano, and it

has become, in the artistic world, what it

soon will be all over the country—the

leading piano. Other makers have had

their day and great success, but are falling

behind in the race for supremacy. Years

ago it was first Nims & Clark, then

Chickering, then Steinway, now Weber's

star is in the ascendant, and will shine

more brilliantly than any of the others.

Wheeling is proverbially slow in taking

up new instruments, but the Weber Piano is

winning its way daily and will soon be

the rage here, as it is in the East. Mr.

Shelb, the Weber agent, and will make special

offerings on the Weber Piano in order

to introduce it thoroughly. I call to see

and hear the Weber Pianos at Shelb's.

THE HIBERNIAN.—A fair audience as-

sembled at the Opera House last night to

witness the opening performance of Healy

& Coban's Hibernian Comedy Company.

The romantic scenery of Old Ireland,

magnificent ruins, principal cities, illu-

minated churches, lakes of Killarney, and

other subjects of historical interest, il-

lustrated by a comedy company, pleased

the audience. Tim Coban, the "original

Dublin Dan," exerted himself to please;

and John Hicks, the only Irish bag-piper

in this country, is a big card. They ap-

pear again this evening with an entire

change of programme.

SEVEN STEINWAY PIANOS for holiday

gifts, ranging from \$550 to \$1,000, have

been bought within the last few days at

Adams & Lucas, 1237 Market street.

There were some of the finest and the

choicest Steinways and other brands of

Pianos, and they present such a variety

of styles as never before were offered to

the public.

A fine Piano is undoubtedly the most

acceptable of all gifts, and can be had at

the lowest prices, and on the most rea-

sonable terms at Messrs. Adams & Lucas.

COME, IF YOU WANT THEM.—One

more lot of those all wool plaid flannels

at 20 cents per yard, received by J. W.

Ferrel, Centre Wheeling.

Just received 200 pairs of home made

socks, and 30 pairs of home made blank-

ets, at Henry Jacobs.

For all kinds of New Year's presents,

such as ladies and gents handkerchiefs,

shirt fronts, gloves, shawls, scarf and nu-

bias, go to Henry Jacobs.

HENRY JACOBS offers this morning 30

sets of different kinds of furs, at a sacrifice

to close them out.

CHRISTMAS OVER, NOW TO BOYS.—

Supply yourselves at panic prices. I

have this day received and am opening a

splendid lot of Carpets, Oil-Cloths and

Rugs of all grades, at such prices that I

will guarantee the buyer to save 25 per

cent from next April prices. Come and

price them, and let your good judgment

decide.

J. W. FERREL,

Centre Wheeling.

In order to reduce our stock of Holiday

Goods we will offer special inducements

to the public. J. Freidel & Co., 1130

Main street.

Captain James Ross is the principal

owner of the two largest stern-wheel

boats afloat—the Exporter and Paragon.

(By Telegraph.)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—River 5 feet and

falling.

Cairo, Dec. 29.—Arrived—City of

Helena, from Vicksburg. Departed—

Pauline Carroll, for St. Louis, and James

Hammond, for St. Louis. The river has

fallen 2 feet 6 inches. Cloudy; mercury

at 32.

St. Louis, Dec. 29.—Arrived—Henry